

...cut off, New Chung, which the Russians have already dismantled, would pass into their hands. The entire Lao-Tung peninsula, in fact, save Port Arthur and Kai Ping, would be commanded by them.

The situation at the re-establishment of communication with Port Arthur is by no means bright. A train load of ammunition has been safely delivered to the fortress. This was done in the presence of the enemy's army, which landed at Pitseu, and which is apparently on the eve of being reinforced by another division on board thirty transports now being off Port Adams.

The troops sent by General Kuroki to the southwest of Feng-Wang-Cheng, which it is established do not belong to a third army, none having landed at Takushan, crossed the Yang River May 7th, and should by this time be operating in the Lao-Tung peninsula, provided they continued, as is regarded probable, the plan to complete the mastery of southern Manchuria.

Besides acting energetically in southern Manchuria and moving on Hai-Cheng, General Kuroki kept in mind the possibility of outflanking General Kuropatkin at Lao-Tung, as is shown in the fact that on the morning of May 10th he started a formidable force, consisting of a division of infantry and forty guns and 1,500 cavalry, toward Samtzi, a view of General Kuropatkin's statement that on examination May 10th for the line between Samtzi and Feng-Wang-Cheng failed to show the presence of Japanese, the authorities are inquiring as to where the Japanese came from. The Japanese detachment is reported to have occupied Kwan-Tsin-Sien May 8th, but it is believed likely to be a small scouting party belonging to General Kuroki's army.

The authorities are looking with considerable anxiety on the division of General Kuroki of his army into three separate commands, for they expect General Kuropatkin promptly to take advantage of the numerical inferiority of the enemy.

The fact that it was considered necessary to send a train load of ammunition to Port Arthur has aroused comment, and it is accepted in certain quarters as an indication that the Russians have not sufficient supplies of war material there.

With such a large force of the enemy before Port Arthur, it is well understood that it is a question of days, possibly hours, before communication is again cut off. It is predicted that there was a daring attempt of a repetition of Lieutenant-Colonel Spiridonoff's plan to get ammunition into Port Arthur.

One fact mentioned in the official dispatches on which the authorities lay stress is the action of the Chinese in saving a Japanese detachment from a Cossack ambush, such incident, it is stated, can only lead, it is stated, to General Kuropatkin's taking determined measures. He cannot have the enemy within as well as outside the lines.

Have Russians Destroyed Fleet?

(By Associated Press.)
CHE FOO, May 11.—P. M.—An unofficial Japanese dispatch has been received here to the effect that the Russians have destroyed their fleet in Port Arthur.

Said to be Preparing to Evacuate

(By Associated Press.)
TOKIO, May 11.—(Noon).—Admiral Togo reports that since the 6th of May many explosions have been heard coming from the vicinity of Port Arthur, but their cause has not been ascertained. The impression here is that the Russians, despairing of their ability to defend Port Arthur, are destroying their ships before evacuating the place.

MOVEMENTS OF JAPS.

Report of General Zassalitch, Dated May 10th, Tells of Positions Occupied by Enemy.

(By Associated Press.)

ST. PETERSBURG, May 11.—Lieutenant General Sakharoff sent a dispatch to the general staff to-day, communicating a report of Lieutenant-General Zassalitch, dated May 10th, that the Japanese had not yet occupied Taku-Shan.

"Troops, which appeared to be a division of the Japanese Guard, have been advancing for the last two days from Feng-Wang-Cheng, westerly in the direction of Hai-Cheng.

"It is reported that a Japanese force, consisting of about a division of infantry, intended to march on Samadza with forty guns and 1,500 cavalry.

From reports received from the River Duman, it may be concluded that the Japanese army is concentrated in three groups, the two southern groups being on the lower section of the River Yang at Hondo-hanya, on the left bank of the river at Dayan and on Danomya in the same locality. The northern group opposite Hainan, on the road from Feng-Wang-Cheng to Salidza, fourteen to sixteen miles from Feng-Wang-Cheng.

"It is difficult to obtain information from the local Chinese. In one case we discovered that the Chinese had warned Japanese troops of an ambush which had been arranged by Cossacks."

Japs Fighting Fiercely.

(By Associated Press.)
SEOUL, May 11.—P. M.—(Delayed in transmission).—A Russian force, estimated to number 200 men, was attacking Anju, about sixty miles southeast of Wiju, Korea. The small Japanese garrison of that place is fighting fiercely.

TRAIN ARRIVES PORT ARTHUR

General Spiridonoff Reaches Port Arthur With Train Load of Munitions of War.

(By Associated Press.)
ST. PETERSBURG, May 11.—General Kuropatkin has telegraphed to the Emperor that a train loaded with war material from Liao-Tung has arrived at Port Arthur.

The text of General Kuropatkin's dispatch follows:
"Reconnaissance between Salidza, Puzda and Feng Wang Cheng, failed to discover Japanese troops."
"A Japanese column of considerable strength advanced from Feng Wang Cheng, May 8th, in the direction of Hai Cheng."

"Pulch Guard station is occupied by our frontier guards and the damage to the railway by the Japanese so far as San-chai Pa has been repaired."

"All the work was carried out under the supervision of Lieutenant-Colonel Spiridonoff, of the fourth railway battalion. This gallant officer undertook to get through to Port Arthur a train full of ammunition, which had arrived at Liao-



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Yang after the landing of the Japanese at Pitseu. Every preparation was made to blow up the train in case of necessity in order to prevent its falling into the hands of the Japanese.

The task was carried out and the self-sacrifice of the men of the fourth railway battalion was crowned with complete success.

Shortly after 4 o'clock in the afternoon, the train arrived at Jin Shau-fan, forty miles from Port Arthur, where it was handed over to General Kokoff, who immediately dispatched under proper protection to Port Arthur. Lieutenant-Colonel Spiridonoff returned on a locomotive.

After landing at Pitseu, the Japanese began marching toward Klu Chau. On the night of May 10th, their forward guard, consisting of about two regiments of infantry passed the night on the heights above Samchill Pa (on the railroad about thirty miles from Port Arthur).

"About thirty Japanese vessels are lying north of Cape Terminal (on the east coast of the Liao-Tung peninsula, below Pitseu).

NOT IN TAKU-SHAN.

General Karkevitch Reports That Japs Do Not Occupy That Point.

(By Associated Press.)

ST. PETERSBURG, May 11.—The general staff has received the following dispatch from General Karkevitch, bearing to-day's date:

"According to reports from the region of the Tayshan (Tayang) River, sent on the evening of May 8th, the Japanese had not yet occupied Taku-Shan."

"A column of Cossacks on the morning of May 7th approached within seven miles of Lian Miao and became engaged in a fusillade with a Japanese company. The latter soon received reinforcements, our column itself opposed to a Japanese battalion and half a squadron of cavalry."

"Meanwhile Japanese infantry effected a crossing of the river by turning to the left of the boat. Commander Sarakoff withdrew his men. The Japanese, within six miles of Sedzhehoge he encountered the enemy's cavalry screen, which retreated under our fire."

"We sustained no losses in either direction. The Japanese seemed to have lost an officer and a soldier."

Hay's Action Endorsed.

(By Associated Press.)

ROME, May 11.—The proposition of Secretary of State Hay that the United States should send warships to New Chung to protect foreigners after the withdrawal of the Russians, has produced an excellent impression, and is accepted with general favor here.

Japs Drive Off Enemy.

(By Associated Press.)

TOKIO, May 11, 7 P. M.—Details of the attack by Russian Cossacks at Anju, Korea, yesterday morning were received here to-day.

The Russian cavalry numbered 200 men, and their attack was spirited. The Japanese garrison resisted stoutly and succeeded in driving off the enemy. Later, Japanese reinforcements arrived from Ping Yang.

Indications point to the presence of a Russian force at Yong Byong being near Anju and Unsan, but it probably is small.

It is evident that these Russian cavalrymen were sent south for the purpose of harassing the Japanese flanks and lines of communication. The Japanese report of the fighting at Anju does not have any losses.

All Quiet at Vladivostok.

(By Associated Press.)

VLADIVOSTOK, May 11.—All is quiet here. The enemy has not been sighted. The commander of the defenses has left Vladivostok after carefully reviewing the troops and inspecting the fortifications.

All in Readiness for Conflict.

(By Associated Press.)

POSSIEIT, SIBERIA, May 11.—A Japanese torpedo boat made its appearance in the roadstead two days ago and suspicious lights have been seen. Everything is quiet here, but all is in readiness to meet any landing of the enemy whose purpose is the cutting off of Vladivostok.

Japanese Occupy Kai-Ping.

(By Associated Press.)

SHANGHAI, May 11.—It is reported from Peking that the Japanese on Monday occupied Kai-Ping, sixteen miles below Lari-Chiao and that they expected to occupy New Chung on Friday.

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DWYER'S WATERLOO

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LOST THE HANDICAP MATCH

Still Supreme in Cornish Style.

"My Last Match Here," Said Dwyer.

Dwyer struck something like a Waterloo last night at the Academy. He was up against it good and hard for fifty minutes of the warmest wrestling seen here yet.

The proposition that confronted the professor was one that he could not unravel. He wagered that he could throw Charlie Reinecke and Joe Grant each twice in an hour, making four falls in sixty minutes, with half an hour for each man. He specified that the falls were to be in Cornish style and two in catch-as-catch-can style, and he had the selection of the falls and the choice of men. He won the first, or Cornish fall, from each man. But he could do nothing with them in catch-as-catch-can, though he tried all known holds, and all expedients applicable to the game. The two middleweights were there with the goods at every point, and the crowd was with them.

In the first fall, Grant was selected by Dwyer as his victim. It took him five minutes to get into the ring. He was then thrown Washington style. Before the end was reached, however, Grant threw Dwyer four times, but the latter with the quickness of the wind, landed always on his knees and hands, and was not thrown. He was then thrown by Reinecke, but Dwyer got Grant in jeopardy, but upon two occasions the former was forced to spin out of close places to save himself.

When time was called by Timekeeper Cowardin, and it was seen that Dwyer had failed to win his wager, the crowd gave a great shout of approval.

REINECKE'S TURN.
Dwyer threw Reinecke in the Cornish style in five minutes, after some clever work by both men. When the fall was made, the referee called it a fall, and so it went, correct, undoubtedly. A Cornish fall is not a "pin" fall, as in the other styles.

Dwyer is the conceded master of this style of wrestling. He has never been defeated at it, and the crowd gave him credit for his excellent work.

He struck another snag when he endeavored to put Reinecke's foot on the mat. The latter made a desperate resistance, but Dwyer, did not make so strong a play for the latter's legs. He has learned that that is a dangerous as well as useless point of attack.

As the time drew near to close, there were a few hot stunts, in which each man displayed considerable skill. One of the last stunts was a throw, in which Dwyer, after a moment's hesitation, was arrested on the charge of embezzlement. Dwyer was a week ago while employed by him as a real estate and insurance agent. When Bertillon made public his system about ten years ago, Porteous was a Chicago detective. He immediately secured a leave of absence and went to New York, spending three years under the master of criminology and means of identification. Returning to Chicago, he was placed in charge of the National Bureau of Identification, which he was instrumental in founding, and remained as its chief director several years. Then he was succeeded by Edward Evans, and the bureau was removed to Washington.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores Yesterday.

Philadelphia 1, Chicago 0.
New York 14, Cincinnati 10.
St. Louis 3, Boston 2.
Brooklyn 4, Pittsburgh 2.

Where They Play To-day.

Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.
New York at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs. Won. Lost. P.C.
New York.....15 4 .778
Cincinnati.....16 8 .667
Brooklyn.....11 9 .550
Chicago.....10 9 .526
St. Louis.....9 11 .450
Boston.....8 13 .381
Pittsburgh.....6 14 .294
Philadelphia.....4 13 .225

Philadelphia, 1; Chicago, 0.

CHICAGO, May 11.—The locals played a perfect and brilliant fielding game today, outbatted the visitors two to one, but failed to score. Philadelphia's one run was made on Wolverton's double, a sacrifice and a long fly.

Brooklyn, 4; Pittsburgh, 2.

PITTSBURGH, May 11.—Clarke's muff of Dillon's fly in the sixth inning resulted in the two runs that won the game for Brooklyn.

St. Louis, 3; Boston, 2.

ST. LOUIS, May 11.—The St. Louis National League team won the first game of the Boston series to-day by a score of 3 to 2. The visitors outbatted the locals, but Nichols kept the safe ones scattered and sharp fielding by his teammates was a factor in the result.

New York, 14; Cincinnati, 10.

CINCINNATI, May 11.—The New Yorks came from behind when their chances looked extremely thin and drew so far ahead of Cincinnati that the little which the locals made in the ninth inning was of no avail.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Scores Yesterday.

Washington 7, St. Louis 3.
Philadelphia 6, Chicago 5.
Boston 1, Detroit 4.
New York 4, Cleveland 3.

Where They Play To-day.

Detroit at Boston.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.
St. Louis at Washington.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs. Won. Lost. P.C.
Boston.....15 5 .699
Philadelphia.....11 7 .611
New York.....7 5 .583
Chicago.....12 10 .545
Cleveland.....9 9 .500
St. Louis.....8 10 .444
Detroit.....8 12 .400
Washington.....3 15 .111

Boston, 1; Detroit, 0.

BOSTON, May 11.—Boston won a brilliantly played contest from Detroit by bunching three hits in the fifteenth inning of to-day's game. The fielding of both sides was of the cleanest. Attendance, 4,501.

Washington, 7; St. Louis, 3.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Washington players took a sudden break to-day, knocked Howell out of the box and defeated St. Louis by the score of 7 to 3. Patten kept the Browns' hits scattered. Sensational catches of line flies were

College Games Yesterday.

At Cambridge, Mass.—Harvard, 4; Dartmouth, 1.
At New Haven, Conn.—Columbia, 7; Amherst, 1.

RADIUM A LOSER.

JOHN DOYLE DEFEATED THE FAVORITE AT DELMAR.

(By Associated Press.)

ST. LOUIS, MO., May 11.—A card of six selling races was run off at Delmar to-day. The game was small and speculation keen. John Doyle was the medium of a heavy play in the fourth race. The horse, ridden out by half a mile from Radium, the favorite, Track show.

Summary:
First race—six furlongs—Geech (6 to 2) first, Carleton (10 to 1) second, Second Mat (4 to 1) third. Time, 1:21 1/2.
Second race—half mile—The Doctor (11 to 3) first, Sonny (2 to 1) second, Tommy O'Brien (7 to 2) third. Time, 55 1/2.
Third race—six furlongs—Laura Hunter (11 to 1) first, Kinglet (2 to 1) second, Alfie (6 to 1) third. Time, 1:21